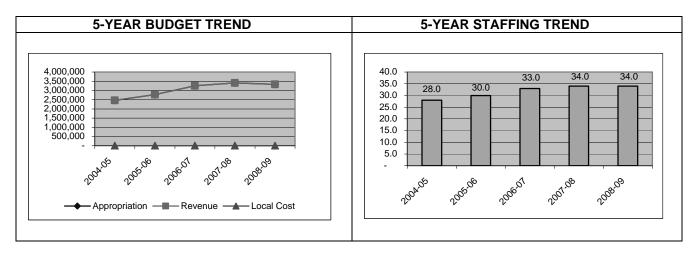
Current Planning

DESCRIPTION OF MAJOR SERVICES

The Current Planning Division reviews all land use applications for compliance with county codes and environmental laws and administers short-term implementing measures for land use, housing, and community design. In addition, professional staff assistance is provided to the Planning Commission and Board of Supervisors for the formation and implementation of plans and ordinances.

BUDGET HISTORY



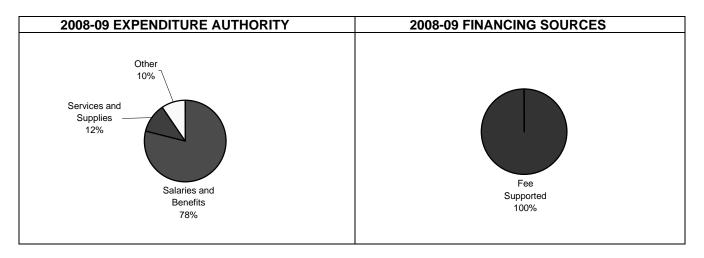
PERFORMANCE HISTORY

				2007-08	
	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	Modified	2007-08
	Actual	Actual	Actual	Budget	Actual
Appropriation	2,321,693	2,514,949	2,962,050	3,406,036	3,123,423
Departmental Revenue	2,174,059	2,519,159	2,959,531	3,406,036	2,923,902
Local Cost	147,634	(4,210)	2,519	-	199,521
Budgeted Staffing				34.0	

Actual appropriation for 2007-08 is less than modified budget due to vacant positions occurring during the year. The vacancies were the result of the retirement of long-term employees, as well as recruitment and retention issues.

Actual departmental revenue for 2007-08 is also less than modified budget due to a reduced amount of billable hours.

ANALYSIS OF FINAL BUDGET



GROUP: Public and Support Services
DEPARTMENT: Land Use Services - Current Planning
FUND: General

BUDGET UNIT: AAA CUR FUNCTION: Public Protection ACTIVITY: Other Protection

	2004-05 Actual	2005-06 Actual	2006-07 Actual	2007-08 Actual	2007-08 Final Budget	2008-09 Final Budget	Change From 2007-08 Final Budget
Appropriation							
Salaries and Benefits	1,852,022	1,957,868	2,280,706	2,258,696	2,665,403	2,637,995	(27,408)
Services and Supplies	206,434	244,694	331,283	521,455	378,562	324,970	(53,592)
Central Computer	34,978	42,964	28,694	32,874	32,874	52,084	19,210
Travel	-	-	-	-	-	10,700	10,700
Vehicles	-	-	24,992	-	-	-	-
Transfers	251,509	280,673	307,625	321,648	340,447	320,581	(19,866)
Total Exp Authority Reimbursements	2,344,943 (23,250)	2,526,199 (11,250)	2,973,300 (11,250)	3,134,673 (11,250)	3,417,286 (11,250)	3,346,330 (11,250)	(70,956)
Total Appropriation	2,321,693	2,514,949	2,962,050	3,123,423	3,406,036	3,335,080	(70,956)
Departmental Revenue Use of Money and Prop	_	_	_	46,689	_	_	_
Current Services	2,173,831	2,519,763	2,958,205	2,867,499	3,406,036	3,335,080	(70,956)
Other Revenue	228	(604)	1,326	9,714			
Total Revenue	2,174,059	2,519,159	2,959,531	2,923,902	3,406,036	3,335,080	(70,956)
Local Cost	147,634	(4,210)	2,519	199,521	-	-	-
				Budgeted Staffing	34.0	34.0	-

Salaries and benefits of \$2,637,995 fund 34.0 budgeted positions. The decrease of \$27,408 is due to retirement rate reductions and step adjustments.

Services and supplies of \$324,970 are decreased by \$53,592 due to a decrease in COWCAP and general office expenditures, and it is partly offset by an increase in publications and systems development costs.

Travel is a new appropriation unit for 2008-09. The amount budgeted of \$10,700 reflects anticipated travel costs for training (\$9,700) and memberships dues (\$1,000). These costs were based on departmental analysis of past travel related expenses previously budgeted in the services and supplies appropriation unit.

Transfers of \$320,581 are allocations for departmental administrative costs paid by the various operational budgets to the Land Use Services Administration budget unit. The decrease of \$19,866 is due to a reallocation of these costs.

Current services revenue of \$3,335,080 is for the provision of planning services. The decrease of \$70,956 is due to a leveling-off of projects submitted for review.



PERFORMANCE MEASURES								
Description of Performance Measure	2006-07 Actual	2007-08 Projected	2007-08 Actual	2008-09 Projected				
Percentage of "Applications Accepted" as complete or return to applicant in a timely fashion.	96%	98%	98%	99%				

The Current Planning Division has implemented a policy of advising applicants within the 30-day window period if their application is complete; in some instances, the applicant decides to withdraw an incomplete application and subsequently "re-submit" it when all of the information is available.